Recoru 9 May 1986 OCA 86-1578 MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD Briefing of House Armed Service Committee Members on SUBJECT: 25X1 Soviet Space and ASAT Program 1. On 9 May at 1030 in Room 2212 Rayburn House Office Building, Dr. Lawrence Gershwin, National Intelligence Officer for Strategic Programs briefed Representatives Dickinson (R., AL), Stump (R., AZ), and Darden (D., GA) on the above topics. Present from the Committee staff were Staff Director Wincup and staffers Mansfield, Bayer, and Battista. 25X1 No notes were taken, and security was 25X1 provided by DoD. The briefing was arranged at the request of Jon Anderson, Liaison Officer, OSD. He attended the briefing along with Messrs. Stansbury and Makris OSD, and LTC Nakamura Air Force ASAT program manager. Mr. Stansbury briefed the Committee Members following Dr. Gershwin's briefing; we departed immediately upon the conclusion of Dr. Gershwin's presentation. The briefing itself was Dr. Gershwin's standard offering on this subject; the Members asked almost no questions, and staff remarks were desultory. Dr. Gershwin repeatedly stressed the sensitive nature of the briefing, 25X1 25X1 No follow up actions were noted. 25X1 Deputy Director for House Affairs Distribution: Orig. - OCA Recordy 1 - OCA Chrono 1 - D/OCA 1 - PMT Chrono dpt (14 May 86) DD/HA/OCA CONFIDENTIAL

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